

No Change for Batt: Truth Still Policy

The Battalion has not changed. Some of the job assignments have changed, and some of the staff members who resigned under protest of the establishment of a publications committee did not return. But the Battalion policy is the same.

The truth will be published for as long as the co-editors can show that truth best serves the public interest. Sometimes the truth is pleasant and sometimes it hurts.

In the special election which swept the current editors into office, a total of 409 ballots were cast. That is far less than 10 percent of the student enrollment. It's the truth and it hurts.

What it means is that less than one out of every 10 Aggies had enough interest to drop by the Memorial Student Center and cast a vote for editors of the paper.

Perhaps the rest of them are waiting for an explanation of why we decided to return to the paper after writing the letters of resignation just a few weeks ago. We could be flippant and say that if we were smart we'd be rich or cadet colonel or something like

that. But the truth is that the threat of censorship as first implied by the formation of a publications committee has changed to such a degree that we felt we could return without sacrificing any of our principles concerning a free press.

We have been assured by the manager of student publications that he and all those in authority over him favor complete freedom of the press so long as all the facts are presented. That is all we ask.

If the pressure is brought about which threatens censorship or direct suppression of the news, we will not yield to it. We will put out a fair and impartial newspaper, serving this community.

So The Battalion will remain the same—a newspaper, not an organ of any special group. It will seek and print the truth, restrained only by the laws of our country, the ethics of our profession, and the interest of a greater A&M college.

And that is all you can ask of a newspaper.

\$25,000 Sales Made

A&M Bible Sellers Bring Back Tales

By GLYNN KEY

Tales of adventure and romance come from seven Aggies this year as a result of their summer experience as traveling salesmen.

William E. (Bill) Coppage, Charles Terranova, Carl Hill, Glynn Key Jr., Walter Kilgo, Joe Haney, and Gerald L. Van Hoosier, spent last summer as Bible salesmen in various states of their choice over the nation.

It all began when the seven men decided to spend the summer selling Bibles, since they had no other job at the end of school last year and no way of earning money. Most of the group rely entirely on their summer savings and campus work for their schooling. Key and Coppage had worked as salesmen in previous summers and told the other Aggies about the job.

First stop for the Aggie Bible

A&M Group Plans Goodwill Trip

Seven A&M students will visit five high schools in East Texas today and tomorrow. The high schools are in Nacogdoches, Overton, Gilmer, Longview and Kilgore.

The purpose of the trip is to encourage high school seniors to enroll in A&M next fall. Brief talks on the life at A&M and some typical campus entertainment will be presented. The movie "We Are the Aggies" will be shown.

Students making the trip are Bill Reed, Darrow Hooper, Dean Duncan, John C. Akard, and Tommy Short's Combo. W. D. (Pete) Hardesty, business manager of student activities, will accompany the group.

The former students club at Gilmer will give a party for the students Tuesday night and will provide places for them to stay.

The Battalion

Lawrence Sullivan Ross, Founder of Aggie Traditions
"Soldier, Statesman, Knightly Gentleman"

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Leadership Policies Outlined

The way to gain leadership is to make your subordinates feel the "need to be needed" and to be willing to do anything you ask them to do, said Dr. A. Q. Sartain.

"People expect a type of leadership that considers their feelings," Sartain said, speaking to advanced contract ROTC students.

Sartain is a professor of psychology and chairman of the department of personnel administration at Southern Methodist univer-

sity. He said that a leader should also help a subordinate defend and enhance the "picture he has of himself."

Sartain admitted that enthusiasm and loyalty in employees could be bought, citing wage raises, retirement plans and insurance benefits as examples of "buying."

"But some of your problems will be the same after all this," he said.

"You have to do more." He then listed the three points for gaining leadership, and added a fourth point: making the employees take advantage of these opportunities.

"It would be easy to be a leader in a dictatorial society," he said.

Sartain also spoke to the faculty yesterday afternoon.

At the meeting last night, President David H. Morgan asked stu-

dents to let him know if they would like to have more talks of that type.

He said more talks would be scheduled if the student response was great enough.

Attendance at the meeting last night was required for all advanced contract ROTC students, but Morgan said if there were more talks of that type, they probably would not be required.

Committees Chosen For RV Banquet

Committees for the annual Ross Volunteer banquet and ball have been appointed by Bill Reed, commander of the RV company.

The banquet will be held April 10 in the MSC.

Reed appointed Kyle Gruene to be the banquet and dance coordinator. Jim Hennigan is in charge of the banquet and John Farrell heads the dance committee. Ronnie Hudson will prepare the programs and Dewey Harris will invite the guests. The decorations will be under the supervision of Jack Farley.

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Cadet Slouch

... by James Earle

GAD! I'M SICK! I'VE ONLY SMOKED 9 3¢ CIGARS AN' I FEEL BAD FO' SOME REASON!

IS ABOUT 3 DAYS SLEEP!

I'M NOT SLEEPY!

WHAT! SLOUCH, SON, YOU'RE A SICK MAN! YOU MUST HAVE LOST YOUR HEAD AN' ATE IN TH' CHOW HALL! NOW, WE GOT A PROBLEM!

WE GOTTA' KEER YOUR ENEMIES FUM' FINDIN' OUT 'BOUT THIS OR THEY'LL TRY AN' PUT YOU IN TH' HOSPITAL!

By Al Capp

L'I' ABNER

DON'T SHOOT!—TH' HUNTING SEASON ON HORNED ANIMALS HAIN'T OFFISHUL YET!—

THAT'S A—G—R—WHOLE HALF-SECOND T'GO!!

ON, P-PAPPY!! THE SEASONS OPEN!

By Al Capp

L'I' ABNER

MISSED HIM!! I'LL TRY AGAIN!!

HOLD YORE FIRE!!—WHEN PAPPY WAS PULLED OUTH TH' TREE HIS HORNES STAYED STUCK!!—SO HE HAIN'T AN ANIMAL NO MORE!!—

SOMEHOW, AH FEELS GOOD!!

Scientific Explanation—

When Pappy's tooth-bones grew through his head-bones, therebu becoming horn-bones, they squeezed his Goodness Glands—and it's a scientific fact, that when Goodness Glands are squished, they become Badness Glands.

But—when the horn-bones were yanked, his Goodness Glands popped back to their original size and goodness!!

The Beast is now out of Pappy, and the Human Being is back!!

By Al Capp

POGO

HEY, ALBERT, I BRING OVER BEAGRE GARD TO HELP FIND THE LOST PUP DOG.

TOO LATE! THE CASE IS CLOSED!

YOU FIND HIM? OR WHAT'S NEE LAKELY'DO HE FIND YOU?

WISE UP, MISTER. PLAY IT STRAIGHT—A GOOD COP KEES PLUGGIN'!

IMAGINE A BUMP BRAIN LIKE YOU DOIN' POLICE WORK—LIGHT!

METHODICAL LIKE, I TEMPORARY CLOSED THE CASE WHILST I WENT OVER MY MAJOR FINDINGS...

WHAT YOU GOT SO FAR, SAHIB? WHAT'S YOUR FINDINGS?

SO FAR I KNOW THIS: My name's Albert. Time: 9:06... THESE THINGS DON'T COME EASY DON'T MISTER.

WHERE IS THE PUP?

WHERE IS THE PUP DOG?

By Walt Kelly

POGO

ALLRIGHT, SIR, THE CASE IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS AGAIN—WHO WAS THE LAST TO SEE THE VICTIM?

NOT ME!

YEAH, NOT HIM, YOU!

MAKE A NOTE OF THAT, SERGE: Time: 9:06 Remarks: Last one to see the victim was you.

CHANGE THAT TO THE DOG IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

NAME.....?
AGE.....?
HAIR COLOR.....?

IF HE AIN'T HERE WE WON'T KNOW ALL THAT 'TIL HE'S FOUND.

SO FAR WE KNOW THIS: 9:06; your name is Albert.

WE BETTER START CASE... IT'S 10:17 NOW... THROW'S THE CASE INTO A COCKED HAT!

WE'LL PLUG AWAY.

COPE WITH ME!

By Walt Kelly

No Review Set For Aggie Muster

There will be no corps review for Aggie Muster this year.

"A review is not traditional to Muster. The reason we had one last year and in previous years was to make official presentations to parents, and wives of war dead. We have no presentations to make this year," said J. B. (Dick) Harvey, Former Students association secretary.

The Muster program will be from 4:30 p. m. until 5:15 p. m. April 21. Gov. Allan Shivers is the principal speaker. Others on the program are Charles Parker, master of ceremonies, Pat Wood, senior class president, Fred Mitchell, Corps cadet colonel, Vol (Monty) Montgomery, chairman and Harold Dunn, president Muster Committee Former Students Association. The Ross Volunteers, A&M Band and the Singing Cadets will also take part in the program.

What's Cooking

TUESDAY
5 p. m.—Business society meeting, main entrance of the MSC. Picture to be taken for Aggieland. All members are requested to be present in a dress uniform. (blouses).

5:15 p. m.—Dallas A&M club meeting, in front of the MSC. Picture for the Aggieland will be made.

7:15 p. m.—A. C. S. Student Affiliates, Chemistry building. A I I E meeting, room 2B, MSC. Guest speaker, Mr. S. A. Brooks of the Hughes Tool Company.

S A M E meeting, Chemistry lecture room. Colonel Weinert will talk about the duties of the Military Engineer and the various assignments he has had during his career.

7:30 p. m.—Accounting society meeting, room 3D, MSC. Mr. E. S. Paekenhun, comptroller, East Texas Motor Freight, will speak on "The opportunities and advantages of industrial accounting."

Coffee will be served. Texas A&M Czech club meeting, room 3C, MSC. Professor M. S. Kavanagh, associate professor of psychology, will be guest speaker. Refreshments will be served.

Agronomy Society meeting, room 107, Agronomy building. Important business. Good movie for program.

WEDNESDAY
5:15 p. m.—West Texas San Angelo club meeting, MSC steps. Club picture to be made.

San Angelo club meeting, in front of the MSC. Picture to be made.

THURSDAY
5:15 p. m.—Corpus Christi club meeting, in front of the MSC. Picture will be made.

DOCTOR ENDS A CAREER

MIAMI, Fla.—(AP)—Doctor's orders have driven Mrs. Frank Amand out of business. At 420 pounds she was billed as Baby Thelma in a circus sideshow but her physician said she had to come down to 200.

After she had knocked off 73 pounds, her husband, a 125-pound circus performer, had to go to a hospital with tuberculosis. Now Thelma must be the family breadwinner but at some other job.

The population of Canada is about 15 million.